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Introduction

The 2009 resumed substantive session of the Economic and Social Council was held on 8 October and 15 December 2009. The action taken by the Council at that session is summarized herein.

Chapter VII
General segment

B. Coordination, programme and other questions

4. Long-term programme of support for Haiti

1. The Council resumed its consideration of agenda item 7 (d) at its 47th meeting, on 15 December 2009. An account of the discussion is contained in the relevant summary record (E/2009/SR.47). For its consideration of item 7 (d), the Council had before it the letter dated 1 October 2009 from the Permanent Representative of El Salvador to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Economic and Social Council (E/2009/117).

Action taken by the Council

2. Under agenda item 7 (d), the Council adopted **decision 2009/267**.

Appointment of an additional member of the Ad Hoc Advisory Group on Haiti

3. At the 47th meeting, on 15 December, the representative of Canada, on behalf of Canada and El Salvador, introduced a draft decision entitled "Appointment of an additional member of the Ad Hoc Advisory Group on Haiti" (E/2009/L.45) (see E/2009/SR.47).

4. At the same meeting, the Council adopted the draft decision. See Council **decision 2009/267**.

II. Economic and environmental questions

9. United Nations Forum on Forests

5. The Council resumed its consideration of agenda item 13 (i) at its 47th meeting, on 15 December 2009. An account of the discussion is contained in the relevant summary record (E/2009/SR.47). For its consideration of item 13 (i), the Council had before it the report of the United Nations Forum on Forests on the special session of the ninth session (E/2009/118-E/CN.18/SS/2009/2).

Action taken by the Council

6. Under agenda item 13 (i), the Council adopted **decision 2009/268**.

Report of the United Nations Forum on Forests on the special session of the ninth session

7. At its 47th meeting, on 15 December, the Council adopted the draft decision contained in the report of the United Nations Forum on Forests on the special session of the ninth session (E/2009/118-E/CN.18/SS/2009/2, chap. I, sect. A). See Council **decision 2009/268**.

11. Cartography

8. The Council resumed its consideration of agenda item 13 (k) at its 47th meeting, on 15 December 2009. An account of the discussion is contained in the relevant summary record (E/2009/SR.47).

Action taken by the Council

9. Under agenda item 13 (k), the Council adopted **decision 2009/269**.

Organization of the twenty-sixth session of the United Nations Group of Experts on Geographical Names

10. At the 47th meeting, on 15 December, the representative of Canada introduced a draft decision entitled "Organization of the twenty-sixth session of the United Nations Group of Experts on Geographical Names" (E/2009/L.46) (see E/2009/SR.47).

11. At the same meeting, the Council adopted the draft decision. See Council **decision 2009/269**.

Chapter VIII
Elections, nominations, confirmations and appointments

1. The Council considered the question of elections, nominations, confirmations and appointments under agenda item 1 (Adoption of the agenda and other organizational matters) at its resumed substantive session. The question was considered at its 46th and 47th meetings, on 8 October and 15 December 2009. An account of the proceedings is contained in the relevant summary records (E/2009/SR.46 and 47).

Action taken by the Council

2. Under the agenda item on elections, nominations, confirmations and appointments, the Council adopted **decisions 2009/201 E** and **F**.